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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Heinz METZGER
Serial No.: 10/562,159
Filed: December 23, 2005
For: THREADED RING

: PATENT
: Art Unit: 3677
: Examiner: D. C. Reese
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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Responsive to the May 18, 2009 final Office Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows: